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**REQUEST FOR PLACEMENT OF  
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(i), Applicants respectfully request that the references listed below be placed in the application file of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Japanese Utility Model Application No. 49-94251U, August 14, 1974  
Japanese Utility Model Application No. 54-7594U, January 18, 1979  
Japanese Application Publication No. 2000-325485A, November 28, 2000

Should any questions arise in connection with this application, the undersigned respectfully requests that the Examiner contact the undersigned at the number indicated below.

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